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In re application of

Paulus Maria SMEETS et al. Conf. 9003

Application No. 10/519.094 Group 3657

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of November 26, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

 $\label{eq:Amendments} \mbox{ Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this } \mbox{ paper.}$

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 9 of this paper and include attached replacement sheets.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

An $\mbox{\bf Appendix}$ is attached following the signature page of this paper.